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THE STATE PRISON.

There is one State institution which the Republican party can turn over to the Democracy with pride, if they demand it. In no one Administration has so much been done for the State Prison as in that of General Battenman. It is doubtful if all previous ones have done more real, lasting work since the main building itself was built. Effective and reliable water works have been built. A fine steam pump fills a tank capable of holding 15,000, on top of the hill back of the quarry, high enough to throw a stream over the whole place. The pipes are so arranged that the engine can turn its stream in any direction, and so aid that from the reservoir. The pump house is a solid stone building put up by prison labor. A new cut-stone building, 25x45, has been erected. The lower story is used for a carpenter shop, the upper for a tailor shop. New bath houses have been built. Sixty feet of new wall, 18 feet high, have been built, taking in some of the old Hot Springs Hotel grounds. The grounds in front of the prison have been transformed. A handsome wall, 6 feet high, has been built along the Virginia road about 700 feet, and two very picturesque towers put up for guards. A fine curb and stone steps have been put up at the front entrance, and large stone lamp posts put there, and on either side of the gateway where visitors first enter the grounds. The whole plot of ground has been sown to grass and planted with trees, and the effect is excellent. A hospital with 4 cells and a hallway is now going up, also a guard tower inside the walls. The sanitary regulations are as perfect as human skill can make them. The food is the best of its kind, and perfectly adapted to the life the men lead. Cleanliness is enforced everywhere. The benches, tools and tables all shine with scrubbing. Out of an average of 144 only three deaths have occurred, one from wounds inflicted by a convict, one from heart disease and one from dysentery. Everything in and about the establishment shows excellent management and discipline.

ISTHUS CANALS.

There are now two projects on foot for American inter-oceanic canals: DeLesseps', and the Nicaragua. DeLesseps' scheme is denounced as a humbug. There are some suspicious circumstances connected with his project. One-tenth of the proceeds of the stock sold by his company, equivalent to \$8,000,000, goes to the promoters of the enterprise. The company guarantees six per cent. interest per year on the par value of the stock, from the date of the commencement of operations. As it will take ten years to build the canal, it is difficult to see where the dividends are to come from during that period, unless out of the capital furnished by the stockholders. Indeed, it appears that the canal could never pay such a rate of interest out of its earnings, as its construction will cost over \$500,000,000, on which six per cent. interest would be over \$30,000,000—a sum which the canal cannot reasonably be expected ever to net in a year. The DeLesseps Co. advertise extensively in France by the same methods adopted by patent medicine men in this country; posting bills, distributing circulars in the shops, printing their prospectus on wrapping papers, etc. They sell shares in \$5 parcels, and give to each purchaser a 5-franc silver medal; an expedient which suggests the American practice of donating a chromo. It is asserted by Paris correspondents of American newspapers that the DeLesseps scheme is little short of a humbug. Gen. Grant has espoused the project for a Nicaragua canal, and will advocate it in the next number of the *North American Review*.

Capt. Eads is trying to enlist American capital in support of his plan for a ship railway across the Isthmus of Tehuantepec. He is going to ask Congress to guarantee a six per cent.

dividend on \$50,000,000, in consideration of transporting free for 99 years all United States war vessels, mails and troops. At the end of 99 years the Mexican Government is to pay two-thirds of the value of the works and take possession of them. The total estimated cost is \$75,000,000, and the time required is four years. He hopes the Government will improve the opportunity and defeat the French scheme at Panama.

We hope that any canal or ship railway between the Atlantic and Pacific will be built and controlled by Americans. The control of such a canal or railway by any foreign power would be dangerous in the event of a war between the United States and any European nation possessed of a formidable navy.

NEW YEAR'S DAY IN NEW YORK.

Soup, in the form of bouillon, was served to many callers in the fashionable houses of New York on New Year's day, to a great extent taking the place of wine. This a change for the better. It is estimated that many gentlemen in the metropolis must have imbibed fully five quarts of bouillon in the course of their rounds of calling, allowing no more than half a gill to each call. Had the same quantity of wine been swallowed, the consequences must have been deplorable.

It is now the custom in New York, with ladies who have a wide acquaintance, to send out cards of invitation to gentlemen, stating that they will be at home on New Year's. They are thus able to restrict the number of their visitors to reasonable proportions. A gentleman receives a card, he knows that the company is desired; otherwise, of course, he stays away. Many gentlemen who do not care to make fatiguing calls send their cards by messenger or through the mail, in lieu of appearing in person. The most fashionable cards this season were decorated by hand with little paintings of flowers, etc. These ranged in price all the way from \$5 to \$50 per hundred. Bouquets were much in demand for New Year's gifts, costing from \$5 to \$50 each. The florists, in consequence, did a fine business. Choice roses sold from 25 cents to \$1.50 apiece. There was good sleighing in New York on New Year's day, and the use of a sleigh for two persons cost \$50; larger vehicles on runners bringing much higher figures. The sleighing put the hackmen at a disadvantage, and a carriage could be had for \$10.

EDITORIAL NOTES.

Gen. Garfield bewails the miseries already caused him by office seekers. They invade his privacy at Mentor and pester him for places. No wonder he is in no hurry to go to Washington. He says he looks upon the Presidency as a prison. He likens his position to that of the crocodile while lying asleep with its mouth open is invaded by the crafty ichneumon. The ichneumon creeps down the crocodile's throat and gnaws at the vitals of its host. Gen. Garfield considers himself worse off than the crocodile, because he is attacked by a thousand parasites, while the crocodile may escape with one. Gen. Grant adds, from a ripe experience, that the President is at a further disadvantage as compared with the crocodile, because the latter is attacked only when asleep by the ichneumon, while the President's parasites pester him when he is awake.

The *Enterprise* insists that, "To discriminate against a woman because she is a wife and on that ground alone to deny her employment as a public school teacher is to perpetrate a flagrant act of injustice." The *Enterprise* leaves entirely out of consideration the fact that babies are usually the result of marriage. The child-bearing teacher is certainly incapacitated for months at a time for the practice of her profession. For months before, and for months after, she brings a child into the world the married lady teacher must give up her school. As frequent changes of teachers are not desirable in any school, the consideration we have mentioned is a strong and valid objection to the employment of married lady teachers.

The Supreme Court of the United States has recently decided that a railroad company is responsible for any accident happening to a passenger in a Pullman car to the same extent that it would be liable for an accident to a passenger riding in an ordinary car.

The railroad companies have contended that, as the Pullman cars belong exclusively to the Pullman Co., suit must be brought against that company, in such cases. The decision referred to was given in the case of a man who was badly hurt while sitting in a Pullman car, by the fall of an upper berth upon his head.

The value of whiskey as a cure for consumption has received recognition from high medical authorities. The assertion may be ventured that any consumptive, by the liberal use of whiskey and taking abundant exercise in the open air, with due attention to the general laws of health, may effect a complete cure. Of course, in advanced stages of consumption, there is not much hope of success from any treatment.

Probably J. G. Fair will to-morrow be elected U. S. Senator for Nevada, to succeed William Sharon. Mr. Fair will doubtless do himself justice in his new position, and is likely to give faithful attendance to his duties. At all events, he will be an improvement on Mr. Sharon.

It is said in New York that Vice-President Arthur will soon be married to Mrs. Marshall O. Roberts, a widow with four millions. If the marriage takes place, the Nation never need pension him.

Gen. Weaver thinks the Morey letter was forged by a well known Democrat, and expects to be able to furnish in a few days conclusive proof of the man's guilt.

The statement comes from Washington that Nevada's total population as determined by the late census, is 62,365.

Should the report that the Chilians have captured Lima prove true, the war in South America is virtually ended.

John S. Hittell has left the *Atlas*, and his place is filled by Vincent Ryan.

NEW TO-DAY.

Notice to Lienholders.

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE Second Judicial District of the State of Nevada, in and for the County of Washoe.
FELIX MONTE, Plaintiff,
vs.
PIERRE HUMBERT, Sr., and
PIERRE HUMBERT, Jr., Defendants.
Notice is hereby given, that the above named Plaintiff has commenced an action in the above named Court against the Defendants above named, to foreclose a lien held and owned by plaintiff against defendants and the following described property: Those certain five mining claims situated near Steamboat Springs, Washoe county, State of Nevada, known as the mining claims of the Nevada Quicksilver Mining Company, each of said claims being 10 feet in length and 600 feet in width. Said lien is claimed and this notice is given under the provisions of an Act of the Legislature of the State of Nevada, entitled "An Act to secure liens to mechanics and others, and to repeal all other acts in relation thereto." Approved March 3, 1878. All persons having or claiming liens on said property are hereby notified to be and appear before said District Court at the Court room thereof at Reno, Washoe county, Nevada, on Friday, the 31st day of February, A. D. 1891 at 10 o'clock A. M. of said day, then and there to make due proof of their liens.
FELIX MONTE, Plaintiff.
Reno, January 10, 1891.—Feb. 3.

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SCHOOL FOR GIRLS,
RENO, NEVADA.

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THURSDAY, JANUARY 6th, '91.

Tuition for Day Scholars in the
Preparatory Department
—WILL BE—
\$4 PER MONTH.

THIS INCLUDES Instructions in Reading, Spelling, Grammar, Arithmetic, Geography, History of the United States, Penmanship and Free Hand Drawing
In Higher English, \$6 per Month.
—IN MUSIC—The charge will be \$3 per month to pupils providing their own Piano or organ for practice.
—OUR—
SALVATOR BEER

—WILL—
COME OUT
ON THE FIRST OF MAY, 1891.

BOCA BREWING CO.
JAN 3-91

Dissolution of Partnership.
The Partnership heretofore existing between G. Gertenbach and J. S. Tracy is this day dissolved by mutual consent. The business will be continued by J. S. Tracy, who is authorized to collect all debts and pay all bills of the firm of Gertenbach & Tracy.
JAN 3-91

50 Cts. Per Week.

All classes of legitimate advertisements not exceeding six lines inserted in this column for 50 Cents per week.

Notice.
J. M. SCOTT is no longer in my employ in any capacity whatever, and the public are cautioned against dealing with him as my agent.
JAN 10 H. P. CHAPIN.

For Sale.
BLOCK of five acres in Western Addition: 40 acres on mile from town. Either will be sold at a bargain. J. A. Scott, 310 1st Golden Eagle Hotel.

Money to Loan.
\$2,500 TO LOAN on first-class security. Nothing else will be considered. For further particulars apply at the GAZETTE office.
JAN 11

Honey Lake Apples.
HALL & CLARK have a large supply of Honey Lake apples, also fruits of all kinds, nuts, candies, cheese, etc.
JAN 10

Place Wanted.
TO DO housework, waiting or nursing, by a competent young lady. Apply at the Coast House.
JAN 11

Bids Wanted.
LEAVE Bids for the outhouses and fence at South Side School House, at J. L. McFarland's shop until January 14, 1891. By order of the Board.
JAN 11

Wood for Sale.
GOOD dry wood per cord \$8.50; per half cord \$4.25. Wood piled on corner of Fourth and West Sts., where it can be inspected. Leave orders at Sunderland's or the Golden Eagle Hotel.
JAN 11 C. JOHNSON.

Private School.
MISS Knowlton has re-opened her private school. Classes in instrumental music are to be organized, 2 to 4 pupils in each, at low rates. Single pupils received at usual price. Call at J. J. Poir's, Sierra Street.
JAN 11

Hairdresser.
MRS. D. L. RICHARDS is prepared to do hair work. She has a nice stock of hair. Ladies' heads dressed and shampooed in the latest style. At Mrs. Timpie's store, on Virginia St., Reno.
JAN 11

Removed to the Old Stand.
J. L. McFARLAND has removed his Shoeing Shop from the House Building, opposite Lee's Stable, to his old stand, cor. Sierra and Third Sts. Shoeing done in the best manner at the lowest prices. Call and see for yourself.
JAN 11

For Sale.
A FRESH Milk Cow. Apply to J. O. Sessions, Hope, Ranch.
JAN 11

Notice.
J. M. SCOTT was not in the employ of R. P. Chapin for the last year, and did not receive anything for his services while stopping at his place.
J. M. SCOTT

Notice.
I WILL have my office in the County Commissioners' room at the court-house, during regular business hours every Saturday. M. D. BOWEN, School Supt.
JAN 11

At Gratt's.
YOU will find fresh bread, cakes, pies, and all manner of delicacies. Call at the Pioneer Bakery, Commercial Row, Reno.
JAN 11

Clearing Out Sale.
I HAVE brought the goods from my Wadsworth store, and propose to close them out at any price. Clothing, Underwear, Groceries, Boots & Shoes, Linen and No less will be sold below cost. Call at corner of Sierra & Commercial Row. Opposite Jerry Schooling.
JAN 11 J. A. FERGUSON.

\$750 Will Buy
A HOUSE and 2 lots 50x200. House is new and contains 1 bed-room, sitting room, large kitchen, pantry, also woodshed, chicken house, well, and other improvements. Inquire at premises. Mrs. W. H. TAUBERT.
JAN 11

Notice.
REGARD for my own personal comfort I compel me to close my store at 9 o'clock P. M. and on no account will I do business after that hour. W. L. NARRAM, Furniture dealer, Virginia Street.
DEC 31

Piano Tuning.
GEORGE WEDEKIN, manufacturer and tuner of Pianos. A 13 regulator for several years at Steinway & Sons. Leave orders at Davidson's.
DEC 31

Place Wanted.
A LADY wishes a place as nonsekeeper or to do light housework in a place where there are no children. Apply at the Ohio House.
DEC 31

House for Sale or Rent.
ON WASHINGTON St., Western Addition, lot 100x100, hard-finished house with five rooms, go 3 cellar. Will be sold at a bargain or rented. Apply to W. L. Knox or W. N. Knox.
NOV 21

Call
AND LOOK at the bed room sets, parlor furniture, carpets, stoves, etc., that Mrs. I. T. Benham, on West St., has for sale.

Western House.
PLAZA STREET, RENO, NEV. MEALS and Beds. Twenty-five Cents. The table will be supplied with the best of the market affords. The bar supplied with the finest Wines, Liquors and Cigars.
SEP 19

Wood! Wood!!
J. P. AITKEN sells 4 ft. wood at \$6.50 per cord; 2 ft. wood at \$3.25 per half cord; 16 inch wood \$7.50 per cord. 16 inch wood \$3.75 per half cord, at McIntosh's lumber yard.
OCT 11

For Sale.
A TEAM of eight mules, with harness, stretchers, chains, etc., all in good condition. Inquire at the Wine House.
OCT 11

HYMERS & COMSTOCK'S
TRUCKEE LIVERY FEED AND
SALE STABLE.

COPPER SPRING AND SECOND STREETS, RENO.
HORSES,
BUGGIES, and
SADDLE HORSES

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ROYAL BAKING POWDER CO., New York.
OCT 11-D&W

Watches, Clocks, Jewelry, Silver and Silver Plated Ware
HAS JUST RECEIVED THE LARGEST STOCK OF
Ever Brought to Reno, for the Holiday Trade.
Which He Offers Cheaper Than Any Other Jeweler in Town!
Call and Examine My Stock Before Purchasing Elsewhere.
I. FREDRICK.
JAN 11

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JERRY SCHOOLING,
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Cigars,
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Rooms en suite or Single!
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D. McFARLAND, Proprietor.
JAN 11

Brookins has a first-class new upright piano for sale, for \$375; a great bargain.
DEC 18

Horse Lost.
LOST NEAR Lakeview, Oregon, a black horse, weighing 1000 pounds, 6 years old, branded "81" on the left shoulder, wearing a set of lead harness. Reward will be paid for his recovery.
JAMES DONAHUE.
Franktown, Dec. 21-11

DRY GOODS.

THE LARGEST RETAILER!
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—AND—
DOMESTIC
DRY GOODS,
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